

Hitler's Legions in America

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1. What problems did the United States have in administering the POW program?

2. How did the government decide where to build the prisons? How did American communities react to the POWs? Did their reactions change over time? Why or why not?

3. In general, what kind of treatment was extended to the POWs? How did the Germans feel about their care? Why?

4. What was the day-to-day routine in the camps? Why did the camps require relatively little security?

5. What kind of work did the POWs do? How did they respond to the work?

6. Why did relatively few German POWs try to escape? How successful were they? Why?